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**Allegany County**

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FOUNDER

CHENG YEE

320

MAN

CHENG YEE

# TENTH CENSUS.

*Fourth* —  
**POPULATION.**

*1820.*  
**1880.**

*Maryland.*

*Manufactures*

No 7

Mo. North

Question 1. Rye & Corn

2. 1000 Bushels

3. 562 Dollars

4. 1 Gallon

7. 3 Stills

8. 3 Stills

9. Six hundred Dollars

10. Two hundred ~~and~~ fifty Dollars

11. Fifty Dollars

12. Whiskey say 3000 Gallons

13. 1350 Dollars

14. In general operation - the liquor is  
exclusively sold to the neighboring people

1

Distillery  
John Roth

Allegheny County  
7th Section District  
by John B. Neffman

Dist. No. 7  
Mo. Hartsock

Question 1. Rye & Corn  
2. 1200 Bushels  
3. 750 Dollars  
4. 1 man  
5. 2 Stills & 1 Boiler  
6. 2 Stills & 1 Boiler  
7. Three hundred Dollars  
8. Four hundred Dollars  
9. One hundred fifty Dollars  
10. Whiskey  
11. Two thousand five hundred Dollars  
12. This Distillery is at present in  
good repair, the demand for  
its produce is rather dull.

2

2  
Distilling  
John Hartsock

Allegheny County  
7th Section District  
by John A. Hoffman

N. 6  
John Volk

Question 1. Wheat, Rye, Corn &c.

3

2. 8000 Bushels

3. 4000 Dollars

4. 2 Men

5. 1 Grist Mill

6. 2 pairs Stones

7. Seven Thousand Dollars.

8. Three hundred Dollars,

9. not ascertained

10. Flour, &c. say 1800 Barrels

11. Six Thousand Dollars

12. This mill is in good repair  
the demand for its produce  
is due.

5

Flour manufactory  
John Folk

Allegheny County  
6th Section District  
by John A. Hoffman

No. 1.  
Joseph Cresap

4

4

Question 1. Wheat, Rye Corn &c.

2. 7500 Bushels

3. 3750 Dollars.

4. 1 man

7. 1 Grist Mill

8. 2 pairs Stones in operation

9. None

10. Four hundred Dollars

12. 1500 Barrels flour

13. 5000 Dollars

14. This mill is in complete operation  
Grinds exclusively for the  
neighbouring Farmers, Merchts.

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Flour manufactory  
Joseph Cross

Allegheny County  
8th election District  
by John A. Nuffman

W. Scott

1. Wheat, Rye, Corn &c. - - - - - 5
2. Ten thousand Bushels - - - - -
3. 7500 Dollars
4. 2 mills
5. 1 mill
6. 3 pairs stones in operation
7. Three thousand Dollars
8. Three hundred Dollars
9. Fifty Dollars
10. Two thousand Barrels flour
11. 8000 Dollars
12. This mill is in good repair.  
Demand for its produce dull.

5  
Flour Manufactory  
James Scott

Allegheny County  
7<sup>th</sup> Selection District  
by John A. Hoffman

## No. 7.

Questions to be addressed to the Persons concerned in Manufacturing Establishments,  
by the Marshals and their Assistants, in taking the Account of Manufactures.

Name of the County,  
Parish, Township,  
Town, or City,  
where the Manu-  
facture exists.

Cumberland Allegany County W.

RAW MATERIALS  
EMPLOYED.

1. The kind?  
2. The quantity annually consumed?  
3. The cost of the annual consumption?

NUMBER OF PERSONS  
EMPLOYED.

4. Men?  
5. Women?  
6. Boys and Girls?

MACHINERY.

7. Whole quantity and kind of Machinery?  
8. Quantity of Machinery in operation?

EXPENDITURES.

9. Amount of capital invested?  
10. Amount paid annually for wages?  
11. Amount of Contingent Expenses?

PRODUCTION.

12. The nature and names of Articles Manufactured?  
13. Market value of the Articles which are annually  
manufactured?

14. General Remarks concerning the Establishment, as  
to its actual and past condition, the demand for,  
and sale of, its Manufactures.

Answers to the above Questions—

No. 1.

Crude ashes of wood, sand, salt  
and pot or pearl ashes

No. 2

2000 Bushells of Crude ashes

1500 ditto " sand.

500 ditto " salt.

38000 " Pot or pearl ashes

5000 \$

No. 4

None

No. 5

8

No. 7

None

No. 8

None

No. 9

20000 \$

No 10, about 15,000 \$

No 11. " 3,000 \$

No 12. Window Glass & Hollow Ware

such as, Bottles, Pitchers &c.

No 13. about 30,000 \$ as Glass formerly  
sold, but at the present price  
price not more than 20,000 \$

No 14. At the commencement of our Glass  
Factory in 1817, we had great  
difficulty in carrying it into operation  
on account of procuring hands that  
were competent to carry on the  
business, but in the years 1818-19 &c  
we feel warranted in saying we  
make as much and as good Glass  
as any Cylinder Glass Factory in  
America in proportion to the num-  
ber of hands employed.

We have thought it advisable  
to suspend the operation of our Glass  
Factory for the present; as the  
advice given is such that Glass is  
now selling for less than it can  
be manufactured for, and sold  
for any large amount cannot  
be affected for Cash even at  
the present depreciated price.

Our factory is in excellent order  
and can be again put in operation  
without any expense whenever  
the price of Glass will justify.

The above estimates are pre-  
dicted on the price of the raw mate-  
rials and labour in the winter of  
1819 & 20

J. C. & T. L. G.

December 21. 1820

6-1  
Glass manufactory  
Roger & Thomas Ewing

Alleghany County  
1<sup>st</sup> Election District  
by John A. Hoffman

Election Dist. No. 5.

Question No. 1. Stone Coal

Notley Barnett

2. Fifty Thousand Bushels 7

3.

4. Three acre

10. One Thousand Dollars

12. Stone Coal

13. 6 $\frac{1}{4}$  Cents per bushel at the mine

14. This mine is in complete operation  
Any quantity of coal may be taken  
from it, the demand is not  
now so great as heretofore,  
it is usually sent down the  
Potomac River in Boats.

7  
Stone coal mine  
Hotley Branch

Alleghany County  
5th Section District  
by John A. Hoffman

Ch. 5.

Josiah Frost & Bro.

8

Question 1. Stone Coal  
2. 20,000 Bushels  
4. 5 men, during  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the year  
10. Four hundred Dollars  
12. Stone Coal  
13. 6  $\frac{1}{4}$  cents per bushel at the Mine  
14. about the same as the last

Stone Coal mine  
Towich Front & Detham

Alleghany County  
5<sup>th</sup> Section District  
by John A. Hoffmen

Dick. No 6  
Cumberland  
John Shryer

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Question 1. Hides Spanish Country

2. 500 Country 300 Spanish 300 Calf Skins

3. 3000 Dollars

4. 4 Men

5. 1 Boy

8. 29 Vats & 15 Handlers

9. 3000 Dollars

10. Three Hundred Dollars

11. 500 Dollars

12. Coal, copper & Harness Leather &c.

13. 5000 Dollars

14. This establishment is in complete  
operation, the demand for its produce  
is regular.

9  
Tanner  
John Meyer

Allegheny County  
6<sup>th</sup> Section District  
by John A. Hoffman

Cumberland  
F. Snyder

10

Question 1. Hides, Spanish Country  
2. 300 Hides 200 Skins &c.  
3. Nine hundred Dollars

4. 2 men.

5. 1 boy

6. 14 rats

7. One thousand Dollars

8. Two hundred Dollars

9. One hundred fifty Dollars

10. Coal, upper, Barnes Leather Co.

11. Two thousand Dollars

12. This Tannery in good repair  
demand for articles, regular.

IO  
January  
John Hyder

Alligany County  
7<sup>th</sup> Section District  
by John A. Hoffman

District No. 5  
George Leaps

5

11

Question No. 1. Hides, Spanish & Country.

2. not ascertained
3. Nine hundred Dollars
4. 2 men
7. 18 Vats
9. Twenty three hundred Dollars
10. Three hundred Dollars
11. Not ascertained
12. Upper, Soal, Barnes Leather Co.
13. 1800 Dollars
14. This Tannery is in good repair  
the demand steady.

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Jannuary  
George Lear

Allegheny County  
6<sup>th</sup> election District  
by John A. Hoffmann

State of Maryland  
Allegany County  
Election Dist. No 5

Samuel Ellifreth

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Question No 1. Wool

- 2. 3,500 ~~ds~~
- 3. none
- 4. Two men
- 7. One Carding Machine
- 8. One in operation
- 9. No Capital
- 10. 300 Dollars. wages
- 12. Rolls Carded
- 13. Five hundred Dollars
- 14. The machinery in complete operation

A.B 1. Fulling mill in which about 10000ds of Cloth are fullled annually which estimated at 18cts is \$180.

800.1  
Pulling N. W.  
and a carriage in action  
Samuel M. Fitch

15  
Allegany County  
1<sup>st</sup> Section District  
By John A. Hoffman

McCleary & Blair

13

1. (Wool  
2. (5,000 lbs Carded

4. 2 Men

7. 2 Carding Machines

8. 2 " " 0. in operation

10. Two hundred Dollars per season

11. no account

12. Rolls.

13. Four hundred Dollars

14. In complete operation

N.B. 1 Fulling Mill in which 4000 yards  
of cloth are fullled annually, say  
Net Value. Three hundred Dollars

Fulling mill  
and a carding machine  
N. Clegg and Blair

Allegany County  
3<sup>rd</sup> Section District  
by John A. Hoffman

Wingert & Rose

1 Wool  
2 4000 pounds Carded - - - - -  
14

4. 1 man  
7. 1 Carding machine  
8. 1 machine in operation  
9. None  
10. Eighty Dollars  
11. Rolls  
13. Three hundred Twenty Dollars  
14. This machine is in good repair

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Wool Manufacturing  
Wingert & Boon

Alleghany County  
6<sup>th</sup> Section District  
by John A. Hoffmann

To Paul Bentallou Esquire, Marshal of the United States  
in and for the District of Maryland

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The petition of John A. Hoffman respectfully represents.  
That owing to the dispersed situation of the inhabitants of  
Allegany County, the Division assigned to your petitioner  
for taking the Census of the United States, he is of opinion  
and doth verily believe, that one dollar for every hundred  
inhabitants taken, is not an adequate compensation for  
the service. This Division is about one hundred miles  
in length, and of an average width of about fifteen  
miles, over that surface is scattered a population of  
8654. In many parts of the County the houses of the  
inhabitants are from eight to ten miles distant from  
each other, and ~~are~~ rarely less than five. The  
broken and unequal surface of the Country adds  
to the labour and difficulty of completing the task.  
The roads are generally stony and hilly, some times  
and in some places almost impaible, and not  
a few of the houses are to be approached in no  
other way but on foot. From the preceding state-  
ment it is apparent that \$1.25 for every fifty  
inhabitants taken, together with 20 per centum in  
addition thereto for taking an account of the manu-  
facturing ~~Establishments~~ Establishments and their  
manufacures within this Division, would be but a  
very moderate allowance for your petitioner there-  
fore prays that he may be allowed the said sum of  
\$1.25 for every fifty inhabitants taken, in addition  
to the a<sup>d</sup> twenty per centum for taking an account  
of the manufacturing Establishments within his Division  
and your petition will every pray &c. John A. Hoffman

I hereby certify that from a personal knowledge of traveling through this County in every direction for more than seventeen years past as a Surveyor I think it always one of the most mountainous and broken of any in the Alleghany range of mountains and think that the additional compensation prayed for by the within named petitioner John A Hoffman of one dollar and twenty five cents for every fifty persons by him taken, together with the additional allowance of twenty five cents on the amount allowed for the other services by him done, for taking an account of the manufactures, &c and that the whole amount by him claimed is in my opinion a very moderate compensation for his services and that <sup>the</sup> within statement is just and true

William Colman Surveyor

Allegany County

I have resided in Allegany County for the last twenty years and fully agree in opinion with Mr. Cockman in his statement of the despised situation of the inhabitants of the county the mountainous situation of the County and the roughness of the roads, and think Mr. John A Hoffman well deserving the additional allowance for his services in taking the census as prayed for. I was the Collector of the Revenue for the <sup>Q. C.</sup> Collection District composed of this County, during the existence of the Tax Laws, and was allowed as much as \$ 350 and never less than \$ 200. additional compensation on account of the despised situation of the inhabitants and the roughness of the roads in the District

As a True & Correct  
Copy of Allegany County  
Court.

To the Marshal of the District of Maryland.

On consideration of the facts and circumstances set forth and verified in the foregoing Petition and certificate, I do hereby approve of the further allowance being made to the Petitioner, your Agent, as prayed, for the services by him performed in pursuance of the act of Congress of the 11th March 1820, ch. 22.

Given under my hand this 27th Jan. 1821.

Theodore W. Ward  
Judge of the District of Maryland

In Marshal Bentzoni's

Letter of 19th feb: 1821.

John Franklinson

Question No. 1. Wool

16

2. 4000 pounds
3. None
4. 1 man
7. 1 Carding Machine
8. 1 machine in operation
10. 80 Dollars
11. 30 Dollars
12. Rolls Carded
13. Three hundred Twenty Dollars
14. The machinery is in complete operation.

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wool manufactory  
John Tomlinson

Allegheny County  
6th Section District  
by John A. Hoffman